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## Interview Summary

Application No. **08/898,853** 

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| All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO per   | rsonnel):  |                                  |                 |
| (1) <u>Raeann Gorden</u>   | (3) <u>Mark Graham</u>   |                                  |                 |
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| Date of Interview Oct 16, 2001   | (4)  |                                  |                 |
| Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference c) ☑ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2)  | <b>፩</b> pplicant's representative]  |                                  |                 |
| Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d)   | Mb. If yes, brief description:   |                                  |                 |
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| Claim(s) discussed: 13-19  |  |                                  |                 |
| Identification of prior art discussed:  Ohsumi   |  |                                  |                 |
| Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g)  Substance of Interview including description of the general nat other comments:  Applicant and Examiners discussed the similarities and difference cover layer of the present invention. Applicant will respond to a varify there is no difference between the layers from applicant's arguments regarding prior paper #6. Examiners will also review | nces between the outer core layer the last office action and include as invention, the present invention | r of the prior art a             | and the inner   |
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